

## Message Text

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FOR PATENT OFFICE MICHAEL KIRK AND EB/IFD/BP HARVEY WINTER

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: AORG, WIPO

SUBJECT: WIPO PERSONNEL MATTERS

REF: KIRK/SHEEHAN TELECON

1. FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM SHEEHAN TO KIRK, IN RESPONSE TO REF  
TELECON:

A. COMPETITION 292, HEAD, INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT  
COOPERATION SECTION -- WIPO HAS PREFERENCE FOR LDC CANDIDATE,  
BUT IF SUITABLE ONE NOT FOUND, POSSIBILITIES FOR U.S. CANDIDATE  
ARE GOOD.

B. COMPETITION 294, EXTERNAL RELATIONS OFFICER -- U.S.  
CANDIDATE WOULD BE WELCOMED IF SPANISH IS MOTHER TONGUE, BUT  
HAVE IMPRESSION POSITION RESERVED FOR LATIN AMERICAN REPLACEMENT  
FOR PORZIO.

C. COMPETITION 302, LEGAL OFFICER, COPYRIGHT DIVISION -- U.S.  
CANDIDATE POSSIBLE, BUT IT SHOULD BE REMEMBERED THAT U.S. IS  
NOT MEMBER OF BERN UNION, AND QUALIFIED CANDIDATE FROM BERN  
UNION STATE WOULD HAVE ADVANTAGE.

D. U.S. HAS TWO NEW STAFF MEMBERS IN WIPO: HARDEN  
WIEDEMANN, P-1, IN EXTERNAL RELATIONS DIVISION, AND JAY  
ERSTLING, P-3, IN PERIODICALS DIVISION.

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2. ABOVE MATTER DISCUSSED AT HIGH LEVEL. SAME PERSON  
SAID BEST POSSIBILITY FOR U.S. CANDIDATES WILL COME AT  
TIME OF ENTRY INTO FORCE OF PCT. HE FURTHER STATED THAT  
AT THAT POINT HE WANTS BEST QUALIFIED CANDIDATES WHICH  
CAN BE FOUND ONLY IN U.S. PATENT OFFICE. CATTO

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